State News.

The stock-law election in Hoke County, as to fence or no fence for Den, near Spencer, by two young men the entire county, went no fence by of the neighborhood. The body had a majority of 19.

at Clayton on September 8th, Marvin at the place. Williamson was struck by a plank and killed instantly.

Ben Jordan, of Wilson County, has been sentenced to serve one year in jail for bigamy. Both wives appeared in court and declared they had enough of Jordan.

W. P. Bryant, a painter, was found dead at his home in Durham on September 9. he cause of his death was a hemorrhage of the brain. His wife was away from the house and found him dead on her return.

James Porter, colored shot and killed James Jackson, also colored, near Lumberton, September 11th. They were said to have been drinking. Porter made his escape.

Six prisoners, five colored and one white, escaped jail at Troy on the prisoner was fifteen years of age and position pays \$1,800 a year, and morning of September 11. The white was charged with stealing \$5.

A solid gold nugget, 99 per cent pure, weighing nine and three-quarter ounces, valued at \$300, was found by Mr. George Troutman at his mine about five miles north of Albemarle on September 8th.

Mr. Philipp Pritchard, aged sixtynear Elizabeth City, September 8th, condition, and it is feared he is fasix years, fell from a fodder stack and died before medical aid could reach him. His death was supposedly due to heart trouble.

The Statesville Lumber Company, whose plant was destroyed by fire some days ago, has purchased a new H. M. Pace, a Machinist at New Bern, manufacturing site from Mr. Isador Wallace, at a cost \$3,000, and now nas a new plant under course of con-

and robbed of \$21.

its occupants injured.

guards mistook an innocent negro for delayed for a few days. wound may not prove fatal.

Wilmington a few days ago. The car arrested and in jail. in which she was riding turned turtle and Mrs. Burris was caught beneath the machine. Other occupants of the car were slightly injured.

The Smithfield term of Superior Court was postponed until yesterday because Judges Peebles and Solicitor Norris were detained in the Marsh murder trial in Harnett County. There is a heavy criminal docket in Johnston, with three murder cases.

wife and daughter, were met by a man in an automobile, when the be very good. horses became badly frightened, and threw the family from the carriage, seriously injuring Mr. and Mrs. Alford.

lection on spirits for two months.

Mr. S. E. Sullivan's lumber plant, located just across the Trent River from New Bern, together with all the machinery and several thousand feet of lumber, was totally destroyed by fire Thursday afternoon. The fire was of unknown origin. No insurance was carried on the building or its contents.

The notorious blockader, Henry M. Hancock, was captured near Siler B. B. Massenburg, of Louisburg, Dies City, September 9th, by United States Marshall Sloam and Sheriff Lane with a posse of soldiers. He was given a sad death occurred here this morning Edward Sinclair and in January, hearing before Commissioner H. C. about 11 o'clock in the drug-store 1910, gave birth to twins, the moth-Resse, found guilty, and being un- of the Aycock Drug Company. Mr. er being barely 16 and the grandable to give bond, was brought to B. B. Massenburg came in the drug- mother not yea 30. prison at Raleigh.

him in the face.

In a badly decomposed state the body of young Braxton Barkley, who was drowned in the Yadkin River, ten miles north of Spencer, some days ago, was found Thursday at Devil's been washed out on the bank by high water and was discovered through a While working at a planing mill large number of buzzards assembled

> A special term of court for Lenoir County has been called by Governor Kitchin. It is for the trial of the cases on the criminal docket, and will last for two weeks, beginning October 2nd. Judge M. H. Justice, of Rutherfordton, is to preside.

> Deputy Collector K. M. Merritt destroyed a 50-gallon still northeast of Siler City Monday and poured 1,-000 gallons of beer and five gallons of liquor on the ground. The collector also made an arrest, which party will be tried at the next term of Federal Court.

Mr. Samuel A. Hubbard, of Reidsville, most highly endorsed, has been elected by the North Carolina Corporation Commission as Assistant State Bank Examiner to fill the positon inade vacant by the recent resignation of Mr. J. Kemp Doughton. The there were twenty-five applicants, most of whom, it is said, were from theory. Eastern Carolina.

At Wilmington, yesterday afternoon, with apparently no provocation, William Johnson, colored, shot Sylvester Ennett, another negro, in the eye. Johnson surrendered himself a few minutes later to the authorities. Ennett is in a desperate tally injured. Johnston will be held without bail until it is discovered whether or not Ennett will die.

is Charged With Seduction.

early hour Sunday morning H. N. Sixty-first and Sixty-second Congress, Pace, a machinist at the Norfolk and for many years president of the Southern Railroad Company's shops First National Bank of Tekamah, Mr. Thomas Hughes, a blind man in this city, was placed under arrest died at St. Mary's Hospital, Rochesand substantial business man of on a warrant charging him with the ter, Minn., on the night of September Rocky Mount, who has been in Rich- seduction, under promise of mar- 11th. mond attending the Beattie trial, riage, of Miss Henrietta Daugherty, charges that he was held up in the a young woman who lives near Belstreets of that city by two policemen lair, but who during the past few Miss Madaline Force, whose proposed months has been engaged as a wait- marriage has been much discussed, ress at the Gaston Hotel.

prominent business man of New Bern, took her to Wilmington where they formed by Rev. Joseph Lambert, a had several friends out riding in her registered at one of the leading ho- minister of the Congregational automobile a few nights ago when the tels as man and wife. In the mean- Church. machine collided with a locomotive. time he was supposed to have sent The automobile was wrecked and all out for the marriage license; later onin the day, he told her that he after he had slashed the throat of planted in the first three inches of could not secure a license at Wil- Mrs. Albert Vaughan, daughter of a this soil, what would have happened? Two colored convicts escaped from mington. After this they returned to white farmer, shot and killed one of In neither case would thep lant roots the convict camp near Wilmington New Bern where he told her there his own race, and assaulted an aged have gone down below this mass of Monday morning. While looking for were complications in securing their negress, Arthur Dean was taken in vegetation to the moist soil beneath the lower Rio Grande Valley appear- 10:15 p. m.—Daily—"Night Inthe escaped prisoners one of the license and that it would have to be hand by a posse of white men and and in neither case could capillary

a convict and shot him, though the A few days ago Miss Daughtery alleges that she discovered Pace was

BOLL WEEVIL IN EDGECOMBE

Is Playing Havoc With One Farmer's Crop Near Rocky Mount.

Rocky Mount, N. C., Sept. 12 .-The boll weevil has appeared here on the farm of Mr. Sidney Balcombe, and is playing havoic with his crop, destroying at least three-fourths where they are at work. Rains have been injurious to opening cotton; too Between Franklinton and Kittrell, wet to pick out. The berry situation on September 11th, Mr. J. E. Alford, has improved. The situation of corn, sweet potatoes, peanuts, bid fair to

Car Inspector Meets Sad Death at Spencer.

Cashier Roberts, of the office of Winn, aged twenty-three years, a car effect, she tried both a pistol and Collector Brown, in the Western Dis- inspector on the Southern Railway knife, but both failed. trict, reports Revenue collections for yards in Spencer, met instant death last month as follows: Lists, \$325- under a train here to-night in a most .44; cigars, \$22.05; tobacco, \$398,- tragic manner. While walking in \$399,267.06. There has been no col- ning at a rapid rate he was struck by the locomotive and knocked off the track. He fell on the main line northbound track and No. 38, the fast mail train, then approaching at full speed, ran over his body, severing one hand and one foot. It is believed, however, that he received the death blow by the southbound train, his skull being crusher by the impact. The engineer of this train saw him and gave the signal, but too late to save his life.

After Drinking Deadly Poison.

store and went behind the prescrip- In January of this year Mrs. Ben-While hunting on the farm of J.

Le Bernigan, near Greensboro, on September 7th, Lacey Hackett, a 19year-old boy, was shot and instantly killed by his comparion, Gaff Smith.

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Wherever you Evel I can refer you to ladies of your own locality who know and will gladly five feet away from the face of young five minutes. He was sixty-one years five feet away from the face of young five minutes. He was sixty-one years part of the world that a woman bestrong, plump and robust. Lest seed as you may not see this offer again. Address.

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General News.

At Grand Rapids, Mich., September 1th, nineteen people were hurt and on collision between interrurban cars bers of the city council, City Enginear Grand Haven Junction in a fog. neer W. A. Williston and a son of

Beattle murder trial will not be per- and solicited bribes in a heating franenitted in the city of New York, on chise deal. The arrests were made the grounds that they were unfit to on complaint of T. B. Dean, of Richbe shown in places of public amuse- mon, Ky., to whom the franchise was

making a flight at Huelva, Spain, ey was transferred. in mid-air by the explosion of the in Chicago to protect funds said to plunged from a height of 250 feet. deposited in a safety deposit vault

Matthews, senior captain of the U.S. in an envelope, and signed by Dean States Marine Corp, who disappeared and each of the men involved, each so mysteriously from the Mare Island keeping a key until the deal was com-Navy Yard some time ago, is believed pleted. to have been found at San Pablo, near Jacksonville, Florida.

plete up-town building on September able to prove his innocence. 12th. The body was terribly man- Dean charged Maynor Knotts with

dead a few days ago after drinking thirty-two glasses of beer. Katy had greatly over-estimated his capacity as he had leaned up to the counter with the avowed intention of disposing of one hundred glasses of the fluid.

A dispatch from Hankow, China, says that 100,000 persons have been drowned by the floods caused by the water flowing over the Yangtze River. The floods are the worst in years, ARRESTED ON SERIOUS CHARGE, and it is estimated that 99 per cent of the crops have been destroyed.

Representative James B. Latta, of New Bern, N. C., Sept. 11 .- At an Tekamah, Neb., who served in the

John Jacob Astor, millionaire, and were married at Newport, R. I., Sat-Miss Jane Stewart, daughter of a Miss Daughtery claims that Pace urday last. The ceremony was per-

negroes and lynched.

of the bank in the vault and escaped. of rain fall during the season. brother.

their exhibiton.

After reading a story in a newspaper that the Binford girl would with the Beattie murder, Mrs. Laura Sullivan, of Pensacola, Florida, became despondent and swallowed laudanum, with suicidal intent, Septem-Spencer, N. C., Sept. 10 .- Edwin ber 8th. The poison failing to take

A GRANDMOTHER AT 29.

Grandmother on Record.

Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 10 .- A grandmother of two children at the age of 29 and of three at 30 years, is the record of Mrs. E. W. Bender of this city. It is claimed that Mrs. Bender is the youngest grandmother on record, and her case one of the most remarkable outside of tropical coun-

Mrs. Bender, who is 31 years old, was born in 1880 in South Carolina. She was married to E. W. Moore at Columbia, S. C., in 1892. She was only 13 years and 3 months old when her first child was born. This child, Louisburg, N. C., Sept. 7.—A very a daughter, was married in 1909 to

early thirties.

EIGHT HELD ON BRIBERY CHARGE.

for Soliciting Bribes.

Gary, Ind., Sept. 8 .- Mayor Thomseveral seriously injured in a head- as E. Knotts, five of the nine memone of the aldermen, were arrested The exhibition of pictures of the to-day on charges of having accepted granted, and who said he had given evidence of the attempted bribery to M. Leforrestier, an aviator, while attorneys in Chicago before the mon-

September 5th, was burned to death At the same time steps were taken motor of his aeroplane. His body be involved in the deal, said to be there. This money, Dean said, was The body of Capt. Arthur James given by him to a councilman, placed

Maynor Knott, who was arrested in his office by Sheriff Thomas Grant, gave cash bail of \$10,000. The oth-The body of Frank White, a civil ers were taken to jail at Crown Point, engineer of Atlanta, Ga., was found Indiana. Maynor Knotts scouted the in an elevator shaft in an incom- bribe charges and said he would be

gled. Police are advancing a suicide having received \$5,000 as his share of the deal.

Morris Katz, of Baltimore, Md., fell Former North Carolina Minister Indicted on Six Felony Charges.

10,000 short in his accounts, and ganic matter of acidity." nothing was heard of him until he In poorly drained soils where dewas arrested in Knoxville, Tenn., composition of the organic matter about six weeks afterwards and goes on slowly only small amounts of SCHEDULE IN EFFECT JUNE IL brought back to this city.

Another Traitor.

Apex Journal (Dem.)]

It's time to brand Congressman Webb as a traitor to the platform."

Farm Topics

Necessity of Organic Matter in the Soil.—V.

Suppose your wheat had been sowed on the surface of this soil with this mass of vegetation underneath, or In Augusta, Ark., September 9th, suppose your corn crop had been attraction have raised the moisture from the subsoil through this mass of The Cokeville National Bank, at vegetation to the famishing plant intending to leave the city. Upon Cokeville, Wyoming, was entered by roots above it. But one result would Mrs. Sarah A. Burris, aged seventy- the suggestion of her brother-in-law, two masked men on the afternoon of be inevitable. Your crop would die two, of Wilmington, was seriously in- L .K. Tindle, a warrant was sworn September 11th and robbed of \$1,500 for lack of moisture, notwithstandjured in an automobile accident near out for the young man and he was in money. They locked the officers ing, you may have a normal amount It was represented as a fair sample Service.

The robbery is attributed to Hugh You have not set up a chemical it was cut. The peculiarity which Whitney, the Idaho bandit, and his but a mechanical condition in your made it of interest consisted in the soil that allows the rain water to pass fact that it was a second-growth down into the sub-soil, but will not stalk. After picking nine bales, the The National Board of Censorship allow capillary to return into the planter irrigated the patch and new of moving pictures have notified the surface soil to supply the needs of shoots sprang up from the roots and police of all the large cities of the the growing crop and it is only the will have plenty of time to mature country that they had condemned capillary water, or the water on its at least a bale to the acre. This was the films posed for by Beulah Bin- return movement to the surface, that off of the land which this year proford, one of the figures in the Beattie feeds the plant. Not only so but all duced the earliest bale of cotton ever trial at Chesterfield, Va., and re- of the soluble nitrates in the surface marketed. Neighboring farmers are quested the authorities to forbid eight or ten inches are leached out treating their lands in a similar manand carried down into the sub-soil ner, some cutting down the old stalks and forced to remain there until this while others planted new seed in bebed of vines, weeds, etc., has been tween the old rows, and all have a removed by a subsequent plowing or fine prospect of profitable results. probably be prosecuted in connection the natural processes of decay. The This incident is surprising in that dition?

703.13; special tax, \$216.14-total, front of southbound train No. 43 run- Atlanta Claims to Have the Youngest corn. This is a very large amount deal more such land before a second son of almost unprecedented drouth. server.

MRS. M. SUMMERS, BOX H

TO YOU-MY SISTER

Mr. Brown dragged his clover down Raised Three Crops This was with a heavy drag then cut it three or four times while yet green with a Officials of Gary, Indiana, Arrested sharp twenty-four inch weighte disk harrow set straight. After having cut the clover into short pieces he plowed it under as deeply as his teams could pull it. He then set his disk at a slight angle and disked the land again, thus mixing and mingling the cut up clover with the whole soil stratum in a very thorough manner. He then laid off his corn rows almost as deeply as he had plowed the land and planted his corn in the bottom of these furrows, covering it shallow. Some days ago when I saw the field there was hardly a fired blade to be seen while his other corn on similar land on the opposite side of the road was burned to the ear. By thus mixing the organic matter in this cup-up condition with the whole soil stratum the water was able to pass down from the surface to the sub-soil and to rise from the sub-soil to the surface again without being obstructed in its movement by the layer of noncapillary vegetable matter at some

The formation of organic acids is a necessary accompaniment to decay of 600 crates of cucumbers per act of any organic substance but in well drained soils and excess of these acids is removed and passes off in the drainage waters or escapes by evapo- what their forage crop was we have ration. The formation of ammonia is another necessary accompaniment of the decay of any organic matter. The ammonia is an alkali and tends to counteract and neutralize any excess of acid formed along side of it. Mr. H. W. Conn, the leading author-Danville, Va., Sept. 9 .- Rev. D. P. ity on soil bacteriology in the Unit-Tate, for many years a minister in ed States makes this significant the Western North Carolina Confer- statement in his excellent work on ence, but who for the last several agricultural bacteriology. "Decomyears has been in the real estate busi- position in itself will produce an alness here, was to-day indicted by the kaline condition since ammonia regrand jury on six felony charges, all sulting from ammonical fermentation being true bills. Tate skipped the will neutralize the acid. If, therecity several months ago, being about fore, a vigorous decomposition of or-

> ammonia are formed and these escape readily into the air while the organic acids tend to accumulate and remain in the soil moisture and render the land acid. Here is where your strip of litmus paper would be turned red by the wet soil. Such land is found in some of the mountain valleys and some of the low-lying lands of the eastern part of the State and occasionally small areas in the Piedmont section, but soils in North Carolina are well drained and if the green manure is handled as Mr. Brown of Rowan handled it no fear need be entertained from excessive acids accumulating in the soil.

J. L. BURGESS, N. C. Department of Agriculture.

Second-Crop Cotton.

The other day a gentleman from ed on the floor of the Houston Cot- press"-Pullman Sleeping Car for ton Exchange and exhibited a novelty Norfolk via New Bern. in the way of a cotton stalk that at- 7:15 a. m .- Daily for Beaufort tracted universal interest. It was a and Norfolk. Parlor Car between thrifty-looking stalk, four and one- Washington and Norfolk. half feet high, and contained one 3:20 p. m .- Daily for New Bers,

surface soil is thus made poorer and it makes possible a double crop of dryer by the localization of this mass cotton in one year from a single of green manure just below the sur- planting, but that is only an extremeface. How shall we avoid this con- ly limited area, for the season elsewhere is too brief to permit of growth Mr. T. D. Brown, of Salisbury, and fruitage for more than one crop, solved the problem this season on his and that not always entirely satisfacown land. He had crimson clover on tory. The early frosts often do their a piece of land that yielded about six deadly work before the crop is fully tons of green manure to the acre ripe and ready for the pickers. The which he wanted to plow down for Texans will have to discover a good of green manure to be turned in at crop of cotton has any appreciable one time, especially during this sea- effect on the market .- Charlotte Ob-

Free to You and Every Sister Suf-

ering from Woman's Allments.

know woman's sufferings.

you how to cure yours the help of a doctor. M

wish to continue, it will cost you only about 15 cents a week or less than two cents a day will not interfere with your work or occupation. Jet seek or less than two cents a day suffer if you wish, and I will send you the treatment for your case, entirely free, in plain per, by return mail. I will also send you treat east, my book.

We are doing business is a to wantages of partner Everybody is fair that men go in have never heard gone into the harlike those of one furnishes us a fine and two, three and four methods of this part garden spot. This season they be duced on 21 acres of land feet ones of lettuce to the acre an diher man ed a cucumber crop and an average of 600 crates of that the money crop. In other words, o shipped two cars of acre planted, and as 100 crates h minimum load, we observe that place along the lines of ascent. crop per acre was soo

> former crops had been hurrested land was sowed in peas, and he not learned. However, as this a per producing country, it can be imaged that they will reap the third men able crop from their well-tilled area -Wilmington Star. Norfolk Southern Railroad ROUTE OF THE "NIGHT EXPRESS." Travel via Raleigh (Union Station) and Norfolk Southern Railred

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